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Provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2000 and 2001 in the economic, social and related fields

Note by the Secretariat

Addendum

1. The following subparagraph should be added to the note by the Secretariat on the provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2000 and 2001 in the economic, social and related fields (E/1999/L.18), paragraph 7:

> (d) A request from the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations to hold a resumed session for a period of two weeks (tentatively in January/February 2000) in order to complete the work of its 1999 session.

2. The following subparagraph should be deleted from the note, paragraph 8:

> (c) Working group of intergovernmental experts of the Commission on Human Rights on the human rights of migrants (see Council decision 1998/244 for the most recent mandate).

3. Items of the provisional calendar (E/1999/L.18, annex) which have been changed and one new item (sect. B, No. 133) are set out below. Changes are indicated by italics. Item numbers are unchanged.

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A. Provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2000

(as at May 1999)

Organ		*Dates (2000)*	*Location*	*Membership*	*Servicing*[a]	*Periodicity*
2.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, twenty-second session [General Assembly resolutions 34/180 and 51/681][c]	*17 January–4 February*	New York	23 E	I (ACEFRS) T SR	Two sessions per year
7.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolutions 45/124, 47/94 and 51/68][c]	*11–14 January*	New York	4 E	I (EFS) T –	Two sessions per year
9.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, twenty-third session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][c]	*10–28 January*	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS) T SR	Three sessions per year
10.	States Parties to the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination, eighteenth meeting [General Assembly resolution 2106 (XX)][c]	*18 January*	New York	150 G	I (ACEFRS) T SR	One session every two years
11.	Joint Meeting of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA, UNICEF and WFP [*General Assembly resolution 52/12 B*]	January	New York	36 G/ 36 G/ 36 G	I (ACEFRS) T –	
18.	Committee on the Rights of the Child — pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][c]	*31 January–4 February*	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS) T –	Three sessions per year
29.	Commission on Human Rights, fifty-sixth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 9 (II)]	*20 March–27 April*	Geneva	53 G	I (ACEFRS) T SR	One session per year
31.	Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, fifty-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 2106 A (XX)][c]	*6–24 March*	Geneva	18 E	I (CEFRS) T SR	Two sessions per year
32.	Commission on Human Rights, Working Group on Situations [Economic and Social Council resolution 1990/41]	*28 February–3 March*	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS) T –	One session per year

Organ		Dates (2000)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
50.	Committee against Torture, twenty-fourth session [General Assembly resolution 39/46 A][c]	*1–19 May*	Geneva	10 E	I (EFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
63.	Board of Trustees of the United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture, nineteenth session [General Assembly resolution 36/151][b]	*15–26 May*	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	–	One session per year
67.	ECE, fifty-fifth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 36 (IV)]	*2–5 May*	Geneva	55 G	I (EFR)	T	–	One session per year
69.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, twenty-fourth session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][c]	*15 May–2 June*	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
78.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-session working group [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][c]	*5–9 June*	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year
79.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, *organizational session* [Economic and Social Council resolution 1996/31]	June (1 day)	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	
86.	Human Rights Committee, sixty-ninth session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][c]	*10–28 July*	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
87.	Commission on Human Rights, Subcommission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities, Working Group on Communications [Economic and Social Council resolution 1503 (XLVIII)]	*17–28 July*	Geneva	5 E	I (CEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
88.	Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][c]	*3–7 July*	Geneva	9 E	I (EFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year

Organ	*Dates (2000)*	*Location*	*Membership*	*Servicing*[a]			*Periodicity*
89. Commission on Human Rights, Subcommission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities, Working Group on Indigenous Populations [Economic and Social Council resolution 1982/34]	*24–28 July*	Geneva	5 E	I (CEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
91. Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, fifty-seventh session [General Assembly resolution 2106 A (XX)][c]	*31 July–25 August*	Geneva	18 E	I (CEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
92. Commission on Human Rights, Subcommission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities, fifty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolution 9 (II)]	*31 July–25 August*	Geneva	26 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
95. UNICEF, Executive Board, second regular session [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162]	*18–22 September*	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	
98. Conference of Plenipotentiaries on the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime *[General Assembly resolution 53/111]*[b,e]	11 September–6 October (tentative)	Vienna	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	
102. Meeting of persons chairing human rights treaty bodies [General Assembly resolutions 46/111 and 49/178][b]	*May (1 week)*	Geneva	8 E	I (EFS)	T	–	One session per year
103. Committee on the Rights of the Child, twenty-fifth session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][c]	*18 September–6 October*	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
109. UNHCR, Executive Committee, fifty-first session [General Assembly resolution 1166 (XII)][b]	October	Geneva	*54 G*	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
107. Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	*9–13 October*	Geneva	9 E	I (EFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year

Organ	*Dates (2000)*	*Location*	*Membership*	*Servicing*[a]	*Periodicity*
108. Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	*9–13 October*	Geneva	5 E	I T – (ACEFRS)	Three sessions per year
110. Human Rights Committee, seventieth session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	*16 October–3 November*	Geneva	18 E	I T SR (AEFRS)	Three sessions per year
113. Committee against Torture, twenty-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 39/46 A][b]	*13–24 November*	Geneva	10 E	I T SR (EFRS)	Two sessions per year
114. Commission on Human Rights, open-ended working group on the right to development [Economic and Social Council decision 1998/269]	*11–15 September*	Geneva	53 E	I T – (ACEFRS)	

(*Footnotes at foot of sect. B*)

B. Provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2001

(as at 28 May 1999)

Organ		*Dates (2001)*	*Location*	*Membership*	*Servicing*[a]			*Periodicity*
62.	Commission on Science and Technology for Development, *fifth session* [General Assembly resolution 46/235 and Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/75]	*14–18 May*	Geneva	33 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session every two years
68.	High-level Committee on the Review of Technical Cooperation among Developing Countries, *twelfth session* [General Assembly resolution 33/134][b]	May/June (1 week)	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session every two years
77.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, *organizational session* [Economic and Social Council resolution 1996/31]	June (1 day)	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	
101.	UNHCR, Executive Committee, fifty-second session [General Assembly resolution 1166 (XII)][b]	October	Geneva	*54 G*	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
133.	*Ad hoc Group of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1273 (XLIII) and 1765 (LIV)]*	*To be determined (1 week)*	*New York*	*25 E*	*I (ACEFRS)*	*T*	–	*One session every two years*

Notes to sections A and B

[a] The languages in which interpretation will be provided are indicated; languages in which translation and meeting records will be provided vary according to the rules of procedure applicable to the body concerned, and in the case of some working groups and similar bodies, according to the actual requirements when these are less than would be provided under the rules of procedure.

[b] Subsidiary body of the General Assembly and meetings of other related bodies.

[c] Treaty body reporting to the Assembly.

[d] Open to the participation of all interested States members of UNCTAD (UNCTAD resolution 80 (III), para. 9).

[e] *Subject to approval by the General Assembly at its fifty-fourth session.*

C. Calendar of conferences and meetings of the principal organs of the specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency, 2000

Organ	*Dates (2000)*	*Location*
2. WHO, Executive Board, one hundred and fifth session	*24–29 January*	Geneva
12. WHO, World Health Assembly, fifty-third session	*15–20 May*	Geneva
13. WMO, Executive Council, fifty-second session	*16–26 May*	Geneva

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